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ATTENTION

SUBJECT EVALUATION OF MISSION S194A

1. CAMERA B 12 WAS USED IN MISSION S194A FLOWN ON 15 APRIL 1965. PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED IN THE FIELD.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. EXPOSURE WAS ADEQUATE AND THE RESOLUTION IS GOOD.

B. 9R SIDE: SLIGHT FLARE IS PRESENT AROUND THE CLOCK ON EVERY FRAME. EMULSION DIGS AND SCRATCHES OCCUR ON SEVERAL FRAMES DURING THE MISSION. FILM METERING IS ERRATIC BUT NO OVERLAP OCCURS BETWEEN FRAMES. MANUFACTURING SPLICES ARE PRESENT ON FRAMES 357 AND 2743. MINUS DENSITY DOTS, 0.3" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE AND 1.55" APART, ARE NOTED INTERMITTENTLY THROUGHOUT THE MISSION.

C. 9L SIDE: MINOR EDGE FOG AND STATIC OCCURS ALONG THE OUTBOARD EDGE OF THE FILM. SLIGHT ROLLER CHATTER IS PRESENT ALONG THE INBOARD EDGE DURING THE LAST PART OF THE MISSION. A PLUS DENSITY STREAK LOCATED 3.2" FROM THE OUTBOARD EDGE BEGINS ON FRAME 1000 AND IS INTERMITTENT THROUGHOUT THE REMAINDER OF THE MISSION. THE FILM WAS TORN AND REPAIRED ON FRAME 265 AND FRAMES 3003 TO 3009. MANUFACTURING SPLICES ARE LOCATED ON FRAMES 0097 AND 2649.

D. BOTH SIDES: FRAMES 0001 TO 0021 AND 2261 TO 2424 HAVE BEEN EDITED OUT. HEAT SPLICES ARE LOCATED BETWEEN THE LAST TWO FRAMES OF EVERY CAN ON BOTH SIDES OF THE MISSION. THE TITLING IS

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SMEARED INTERMITTENTLY AND OCCASIONALLY ENTERS THE FORMAT AREA.
THE LAST TITLED FRAME IS 3533.

E. THERE WERE NO MAJOR CAMERA OR PROCESSING MALFUNCTIONS.

3. POSITIVES:

A. PI SUITABILITY IS GOOD.

B. PRINTING AND PROCESSING WAS GOOD.

C. CLOUDS OBSTRUCTED OR DEGRADED APPROXIMATELY 15 PERCENT
OF THE MISSION.

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